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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Gary Hammerslag
Appl. No. : 09/993,296
Filed : November 14, 2001
For : FOOTWEAR LACING SYSTEM
Examiner : James Brittain
Group Art Unit : 3677

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NOVEMBER 2, 2005 OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 2, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.